



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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ELEKTRA ENTERTAINMENT GROUP INC.  
Et al.,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

05 Civ. 2414 (CM)(MDF)

PATRICIA SANTANGELO,

Defendant.

x

ORDER AFFIRMING DISCOVERY RULING

McMahon, J.:

Because plaintiffs have not come close to demonstrating clear error in the learned Magistrate Judge's February 17, 2006 ruling, the order is affirmed. The Magistrate Judge's control over discovery extends to the order in which he will permit discovery devices to be used and the number of times that he will permit them to be used. Moreover, I know of no rule requiring the learned Magistrate Judge to prune improperly framed requests for admissions. It would behoove plaintiff to ask the questions properly in the first place.

Dated: March 13, 2003

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "McMahon", written over a horizontal line.

U.S.D.J.

BY FAX TO ALL COUNSEL  
BY HAND TO MAGISTRATE JUDGE FOX